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RESEARCH PROJECT

REF: (A) DEPT. A-2777, (B) STATE 130904, (C) LAGOS 5583

1. IN LIGHT REFTELS, POST SUBMITS ADVANCE NOMINATION OF DR.
BABATUNDE A. AGIRI, SENIOR LECTURER IN HISTORY, UNILAG, FOR
PARTICIPATION SUBJECT PRGGRAM. COMPLETED CIES APPLICATION BEING
FORWARDED
DEPT. THIS DATE.

2. FOR REASONS CITED REFS B AND C, AGIRI HAS OBTAINED SABBATICAL
LEAVE FROM UNILAG BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 1 TO ENABLE HIM PARTICIPATE
UWISC'S PRGPOSED "SMALL URBAN IN RURAL DEVELOPMENT" PROJECT.
SINCE NOMINEE PLANS DEPART NIGERIA SEPTEMBER 10 EN ROUTE
TO U.S., WOULD APPRECIATE EARLY APPROVAL THIS NOMINATION.

3. IN AUGUST 10 LETTER TO UWISC, AGIRI INFGRMED WILEY OF SABBATICAL
LEAVE APPROVAL AND SUBMISSION OF CIES APPLICATION TO POST. HE ALSO
SEEKING ADDITIONAL FUNDS TO SUPPLEMENT SALARY DURING MADISON STAY AS
HE WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY WIFE AND THREE CHILDREN AGED SIX, ELEVEN
AND TWELVE AND FGR WHOM HE ASKED FOR ASSISTANCE IN LOCATING APPRO-
PRIATE SCHOOLS. TO ENABLE WIFE OBTAIN LEAVE OF ABSENCE FROM LAGGS
STATE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, AGIRI HAS REQUESTED STATEMENT FROM
UWISC THAT SHE WILL PURSUE SOME COURSES IN EDUCATIONAL POLICY
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STUDIES THAT WILL ENHANCE HER STATUS. HE ALSO ADVISED WILEY OF

NEED FOR EITHER TWO-BEDROOM APARTMENT OR RENTAL HOUSE OF FACULTY
MEMBER WHO MAY BE ON LEAVE DURING ACADEMIC YEAR.

4. DEPT. MAY WISH CALL WILEY'S ATTENTION TO PARA 3 ABOVE.

5. WILL SUBMIT ADDITIONAL NOMINATIONS SOONEST.

6. ADVISE.
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